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SUBJECT: US-INDONESIA CIVAIR NEGOTIATIONS

1. IN TWO DAYS OF TALKS WHICH BEGAN JANUARY 26, VIRTUALLY NO PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE DUE IN LARGE PART TO FACT THAT INDONESIAN DEL HAS SHOWN NO INCLINATION TO BARGAIN. USDEL PRESENTED TEXT OF A SUPPLEMENTARY UNDERSTANDING SIMILAR IN CONCEPT TO US-PERU UNDERSTANDING AND INCORPORATING FOLLOWING MAIN FEATURES:

A. UNDERSTANDING TERMINATES MARCH 31, 1979 UNLESS NO FURTHER AGREEMENT REACHED BY THAT DATE IN WHICH CASE IT CONTINUES IN EFFECT UNTIL TERMINATED BY EITHER PARTY WITH SIX MONTHS NOTICE.

B. ROUTE RIGHTS ARE SPECIFIED. FOR US, THEY ARE THOSE IN PAN AM'S JANUARY 13 LETTER WITH ADDITION OF JAPAN FOR CARGO ONLY. INDONESIAN ROUTE SHOWN AS "INDONESIA TO HONOLULU AND (BLANK), WITH A NON-TRAFFIC STOP AT GUAM."

C. FREQUENCY LEVELS FOR US ARE 4, 5, AND 6 FOR EACH OF THREE YEARS FOR COMBINATION SERVICES AND 1, 2, AND 2 FOR ALL-CARGO. THERE IS SUBSTITUTION RATIO FOR WIDE BODIES.

2. INDO DEL SAID THERE COULD BE NO INTERMEDIATE OR BEYOND RIGHTS FOR US AS MATTER OF PRINCIPLE. USDEL REPLIED THAT, IN THIS EVENT, THERE COULD BE NO AGREEMENT AND IMPLIED

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THERE MIGHT NOT BE ANY US AIRLINE SERVICE TO INDONESIA.

WE URGED INDO DEL NOT TO VIEW ISSUE AS ONE OF PRINCIPLE.
HOWEVER, INDO DEL HAS NOT BUDGED AND HAS INSISTED FURTHER
DISCUSSION BE DEFERRED.

3. RE FREQUENCIES, INDO DEL WILL APPARENTLY ACCEPT 4
COMBINATION FLIGHTS FOR US BUT NO AUTOMATIC INCREASES. IT
WANTS 4 FLIGHTS FOR GARUDA. ALTHOUGH CARGO FLIGHTS HAVE
NOT BEEN FORMALLY REJECTED, INDO DEL ACTS AS THOUGH
IT INTENDS DO SO. IN ORDER INJECT A LITTLE
UNREASONABLENESS OF OUR OWN, WE COUNTERED WITH 2
COMBINATION FLIGHTS FOR GARUDA.

4. AFTER INITIALLY APPEARING TO ACCEPT CONCEPT OF
UNDERSTANDING WE HAD PROPOSED, INDO DEL LATER SAID ITS
OBJECTIVE WAS TO AMEND CERTAIN PARTS OF MAIN AGREEMENT
PERMANENTLY. THEREFORE, IT COULD NOT ACCEPT POSSIBILITY
THAT, IF UNDERSTANDING COULD BE TERMINATED, PROVISIONS
OF MAIN AGREEMENT WOULD AGAIN COME INTO EFFECT. INDO
DEL SAID IT WAS CONCERNED THAT US WOULD THEN INSIST THAT
FULL BERMUDA PRINCIPLES ONCE AGAIN APPLY. WE ARGUED
THAT INDO POSITION WAS A REVERSAL OF CONCEPT IT HAD
AGREED TO PURSUE AT END LAST CONSULTATIONS, THAT US HAD
OFFERED COMPROMISES BUT INDONESIANS HAD NOT, AND THAT,
SINCE INDONESIA HAD ALREADY VIOLATED BURMUDA PRINCIPLES,
US COULD PROBABLY "COUNT" ON INDONESIA DOING SO IN FUTURE.
THIS ELICITED REFRAIN THAT, BECAUSE US HAD NOT PROTESTED
ALLEGED INDONESIAN VIOLATIONS, IT HAD TACITLY ACCEPTED
THEIR VALIDITY. WE COUNTERED THAT US HAD PROTESTED BUT
HAD REFRAINED FROM AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONFRONTATION
ONLY IN EXPECTATION THAT ISSUES WOULD BE RESOLVED IN
CURRENT NEGOTIATIONS. THIS ALICE IN WONDERLAND DIALOGUE
WAS MERCIFULLY ENDED WHEN DELS AGREED ADJOURN UNTIL
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